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Dear Johnny:

Thanks over so such for your latter of 17 October in regard to my appointment as Deputy Director of Central Intelligence. I started work in this job on 1 October, and I am not yet familiar with the personnel requirements or needs. Although I do not now know what openings may be available for a man of your experience, I referred your letter to Mr. William Kelly, Personnal Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, with the request that he get out your file, discuss the matter with me, and lot me know whether there is any opening for you at the present time.

As I have told other friends of sine, there is no sense coming into this or any other Government organisation merely out of a sense of patriotism if there is not a specific job in which the man's education, experience and general aptitude can be put to important and definite use. Anyway, you will bear from me directly or from Mr. Kelly whether there is mything that might be of interest to you.

With best personal regards,

Very sincerely,

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WILLIAM H. JACKSON Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

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